

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

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Title: CHEMICAL REAGENTS CAPABLE OF SELECTIVE ATTACHMENT TO AND  
REACTION WITH PEPTIDES AND PROTEINS

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**  
**AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the PTO on July 29, 2008. A two-month extension of time is requested, and the fee therefor accompanies this response. Please amend the application as indicated herein.

*Amendments to the Specification* are set forth on page 2 of this document.

The *Listing of the Claims* begins on page 3 of this document. The claims are included merely for completeness, as no amendments are made.

*Remarks* begin on page 7 of this document.